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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION **TRANSMITTAL** (Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b)) **APPLICATION ELEMENTS** Mail Stop Patent Application ADDRESS TO: P.O. Box 1450 SEE MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents. Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 1. 🛛 Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17) CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix) 8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission Applicant claims small entity status. fif applicable, all necessary) See 37 CFR 1.27. a. Computer Readable Form (CRF) b. Specification Sequence Listing on: з. 🖂 Specification [Total Pages: 22] i. . DCD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or -Descriptive title of the invention -Cross Reference to Related Applications ii. . 🔲 paper -Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D -Reference to sequence listing, a table, c. Statements verifying identity of above copies or a computer program listing appendix -Background of the Invention **ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS** -Brief Summary of the Invention -Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed) -Detailed Description Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documents(s)) -Claim(s) -Abstract of the Disclosure Power of Attorney 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) [Total Pages: 6] 4. Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) English Translation Document (if applicable) [Total Pages: 3] 12. 🛛 Copies of IDS Citations 5. Oath or Declaration Information Disclosure a. . Newly executed (original or copy) Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 b. . Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d)) **Preliminary Amendment** (for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed) Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized) i. DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) (if foreign priority is claimed) Named in the prior application, see 37 CFR Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b) (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 6. 🖂 Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76 or its equivalent. Other: PTO/SB/08A (2 pgs.); PTO-892 (2 pgs.) 17. 🔯 18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76: of prior application No.: 09/497,269 filed 2/2/2000 Continuation-in-part (CIP) Continuation Divisional Group Art Unit: 1634 Examiner: B. Forman Prior application information: For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts. 19. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS or Correspondence address below Customer Number or Bar Code Label (Insert Customer No. or Attach bar code label here) **BOZICEVIC, FIELD & FRANCIS LLP** Name 200 Middlefield Road, Suite 200 Address 94025 California State City Menlo Park Code (650) 327-3400 (650) 327-3231 Telephone Country **United States of America** 39,740 Registration No. (Attorney/Agent) Carol M. LaSalle Name September 17, 2003 Date Signature

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